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June 5, 1981

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TO: CHR Records Room

FROM: J. Rundo *J.R.*

SUBJECT: Current status of  $^{239}\text{Pu}$  injection case 40-009

1. Mrs. Leventry obtained the current telephone number (207/283-0255, via FTS operator of Dr. Christine Waterhouse, who is now living in Maine.
2. I called Dr. Waterhouse on June 3 and asked if she knew if the two patients were still alive and if so, in whose care. I told her of the negative response to Dr. Adams' letter of April 3, 1981, to Dr. Robert Heinig, and she replied that the patients were in the care of Dr. Hornick, Chairman of the Department of Medicine at the University of Rochester. She said she would make enquiries and would call me back.
3. Dr. Waterhouse called me on June 5; Mrs. is alive and is in a nursing home in Canandaigua, NY (about 30 miles from Rochester) in the care of Dr. Joseph Guattery ( ) who knows about her background. The University of Rochester is paying the nursing home and Dr. Guattery.
4. Dr. Waterhouse thought that we stand a good chance of eventually getting some material for examination. Mrs. is almost certainly not able to will her body. An eventual autopsy might be permitted by the son and his wife, whom Dr. Waterhouse knows well.
5. Dr. Waterhouse is still trying to find out the status of 40-012.

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